

# Bryan Morning Eagle.

Vol IV. No. 179.

BRYAN, TEXAS, SATURDAY MORNING, JUNE 24, 1899

Price 5 Cents.

## EXTRA FANCY MACKEREL.

1899 Catch.—First of the Season.—None Better.

JOHNSON CREAMERY BUTTER,  
DOUBLE CROWN CHEESE,  
On Ice.

OLD FASHION SUGAR HOUSE  
MOLASSES,

The best thing going.—Try it once and you will never use any other. Comes in Gallon and one-half Gallon cans. If you want the BEST 'phone

**Howell Bros.,**

Grocers and Coffee Roasters.

Try Fresh Roasted Coffee.

## LADIES

I still have many beautiful pattern hats which are being sold at very close figures; also an unbroken stock of new and stylish millinery which is selling equally low, and within the reach of all.

**Mrs. C. M. Proctor.**

I AM GIVING SPECIAL  
ATTENTION TO....

## Saddle and Harness Repairing

AND CARRIAGE TRIMMING.

And can make or order anything you need in my line at Reasonable prices.

**HERBERT CAMPBELL.**

NEXT DOOR TO KANDY KITCHEN.

## Kandy Kitchen

—AND—

ICE  
CREAM  
PARLOR

All the new ICES and Iced  
drinks tastefully served.

The finest....

Candies, Fresh Fruits,

FINE CIGARS,  
LOWNEY'S and  
GUNTHER'S  
Candies.

Phone 202.

## A NEW DEPARTMENT.

There Will Be Another Member to  
the President's Cabinet.

## HEAD OF COLONIES.

Foreign Possessions of the United States  
Growing so Great as to Demand  
Especial Attention and Study  
for Their Management.

Washington, June 23.—A new executive branch of the government with the title, "department of colonial affairs and foreign commerce," or something similar to it, is deemed by the administration absolutely necessary to meet the new conditions which confront the United States as a result of the war with Spain. The word "colonial" is repugnant, for political reasons, to some members of the cabinet, because it smacks of imperialism and it is probable that some other title will be adopted. The meaning, however, will be the same.

Preliminary to recommendations to congress on this subject, data is now being compiled concerning the control of colonies by foreign powers, and the extension of our commerce into foreign fields, and members of the cabinet and subordinate officials of the administration are giving much thought and time to the details of the proposed new department.

American consuls on duty in colonies belonging to foreign powers, especially those of Great Britain, are to be called upon for full reports upon a list of questions now preparing for submission to them.

Robert P. Porter, who is looked upon as a probable head of the proposed cabinet office when created, will be consulted in regard to the plans for extending foreign commerce which is to become a feature of the new department.

President McKinley's policy in regard to the Philippines and Cuba is still undefined, but regardless of what future developments may bring forth as to our attitude toward those islands, he and the members of the cabinet fully appreciate that the military governments in all of our dependencies must give way to civil government as speedily as possible. Preliminary to the establishment of a civil government, the cabinet has concluded that there should be a new civil department, with a cabinet officer at its head, to inaugurate and have control of the new governments which sooner or later must be formed.

## AGUINALDO TROUBLESOME.

Massing His Men to Attempt a Recapture of San Fernando.

Manila, June 23.—Aguinaldo does not seem to be satisfied with the attempt of the insurgents to retake San Fernando, and he has taken command of General Luna's army and now has massed the largest rebel force yet mobilized, bringing 2000 men from the Antipolo region. He is exceedingly troublesome. Thursday night his men wounded two members of the Seventeenth regiment.

General MacArthur's men are constantly on the alert to repel any attacks by the rebels, sleeping upon their arms. The general sincerely hopes that the Filipinos will give another chance for a battle, for the soldiers really enjoy an opportunity to fight them when they can do so without wading through swamps to catch them.

Railway trains between Manila and San Fernando have been stopped for several days while permanent repairs were being made to the bridges along the route, but Friday the traffic was resumed.

The transport Centennial, which has arrived here, had an exciting experience while rounding Point Engano on the northern coast of Luzon, on her way to this port. She struck a rock on Wednesday and remained fast for several hours, during which time she was surrounded by swarms of natives in canoes, who became menacing. Captain Eagle, who commanded the transport, was compelled to throw over a hundred tons of supplies in order to lighten the ship sufficiently to get her afloat. Before this was effected the Filipinos had towed the supplies ashore and were fighting over them.

The cruiser Baltimore recently grounded at the same port, but the natives feared to approach her.

## The Hooker at Singapore.

Singapore, June 23.—The United States cableship Hooker, from New York May 1 for Manila, has arrived here.

## Terms Seem Probable.

Denver, June 23.—The managers of the smelters owned by the American Smelting and Refining company are still conferring and arranging the labor scales while the strikers are quietly awaiting overtures. It is considered by

both sides to the controversy resulting from the new 8-hour law, that nothing stands between the managers and the men that cannot be arranged on the 8-hour scale and a resumption of operations at the smelters will not likely be delayed beyond a few days or a week.

## Consul For Great Britain.

Wellington, N. Z., June 23.—Major Nair, judge of the New Zealand land court, has been appointed acting consul for Great Britain at Samoa.

## ROUGH RIDERS' REUNION.

Three Days of Sport Is the Programme to Be Carried Out.

Chicago, June 23.—A special to The Tribune from Las Vegas, N. M., says: Rough riders and sightseers have arrived by increased numbers. Among the numbers were troops from Joplin, who drove to Las Vegas, a distance of 800 miles, with a mule team.

It was decided at a meeting to hold the business meeting at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon. Immediately afterward Governor Roosevelt and the rough riders will adjourn to the tournament grounds and witness the steer-tying contests and other attractions. Immediately at the conclusion of the fireworks exhibition in the evening the regimental reception will be held at the opera house.

A review of the rough riders will be held on Sunday afternoon at the conclusion of which Governor Roosevelt will make an address to the troopers. Lieutenant Colonel Brodie will respond as president of the association. The parade of rough riders will be consolidated with the citizen's parade on Monday evening.

Governor Otero, his staff and a committee of citizens and rough riders, will meet Governor Roosevelt and party at Raton, where the governor of New Mexico will deliver an address of welcome to the governor of New York and tender him the keys of the territory.

## Roosevelt En Route to Las Vegas.

Chicago, June 23.—Governor Theodore Roosevelt of New York passed through here late Thursday afternoon on his way to Las Vegas, N. M., to attend the reunion of the rough riders, which takes place tomorrow, the anniversary of the fight at La Quisamas. He was accompanied by several members of his staff.

## DEPENDS UPON ENGLAND.

The Transvaal Is Awaiting the Steps That Great Britain Will Take.

London, June 23.—A dispatch from Cape Town to The Outlook says the tension there is extreme. Business is at a standstill and the general feeling is that England should bring matters to an issue.

The league have had no difficulty in preventing meetings supporting Sir Alfred Milner's attitude in his desire to refrain from embarrassing the imperial authorities.

The Orange Free State government is urging The Transvaal to make further concessions.

Many people consider Sir Alfred Milner's franchise proposals useless without granting 12 seats to the mining centers and the right to speak English in the volksraad. Otherwise it will be impossible to select representative men. Failing in these concessions Johannesburgers say they prefer a treaty providing security and judicial and educational reforms.

## British Troops Ordered.

London, June 23.—The Shropshire regiment has been ordered to hold itself in readiness for immediate embarkation for Cape Town.

## Canteen System Will Remain.

Washington, June 23.—With regard to the question of maintenance of canteens in the United States army posts, the acting secretary of war says so far as the department is concerned, the matter is settled in favor of maintaining the present system. When the subject was brought up by the case at Camp Meade, the canteen matter was thoroughly investigated by the department and reports from officers in all branches of the service showed from every standpoint the army canteen as now operated, is infinitely better for the interests of soldiers than the old system of post traders and low groggeries on the outskirts of the posts. The regulation under which the canteen operates, has already been formulated, and there is no need for further action by the department.

## No Change in Interest.

New York, June 23.—The savings banks of New York will make no change in their rates of interest on July 1, according to the statement of a number of bank officials. The banks that have been paying 4 per cent will continue to do so, and those who have been paying 3½ per cent will continue to maintain that rate. Several of the Brooklyn banks that have paid four per cent up to the present, will, in all probability, reduce their rate. The general opinion among banking men is that those banks which have been paying four per cent will eventually have to come down to the lower rate.

## Pure Food....

Is conducive to good health, therefore every careful housewife has a vital interest in pure groceries, and when supplying your table with eatables remember we offer only THE BEST FOOD products, and at prices as low as many get for goods of inferior quality. Our purpose is to please you. Your interest is ours. Give us a call.

**Jno. B. Mike.**

Save Work  
And Worry  
BY USING

## SCREEN DOORS and Windows.

We supply Screens for Doors and Windows of any size desired and put them in for you. The outlay is nothing compared with the Comfort, Convenience, Cleanliness and freedom from Pests assured by the use of Screens.

Phone 63.

**GARTH, HOWELL  
& WEBB**

## Requisition for Jester.

Jefferson City, Mo., June 23.—Sheriff Nelson of Audrian county, was here and received a requisition from Governor Stephens for the return to that county for trial for murder of Alexander Jester, who is under arrest at Shawnee, O. T. Jester is wanted for killing Gilbert Gates near Warrensburg, Mo., in 1871. He broke jail and escaped to Oklahoma, where he has since resided and accumulated much property. A sister notified the sheriff of the whereabouts of Jester.

## Killed in a Runaway.

Little Rock, June 23.—Mrs. Thomas B. Martin, wife of Chancellor Martin of the Pulaski chancery court, was killed in a runaway accident here. Chancellor Martin, who was driving, was thrown out of the vehicle, but not dangerously hurt.

## Schley's Fourth of July.

Philadelphia, June 23.—Admiral Schley will be the guest of the city of Chester on July 4, and has consented to make an address on that day.

**H. & T. C.**

R. R.

DOUBLE DAILY TRAIN.

Short and Quick Line Between  
North and South Texas.

T S  
H L  
R E  
O P  
U E  
G R  
H S  
BETWEEN  
HOUSTON AND DENVER  
Via Ennis and Ft. Worth  
GALVESTON AND DENISON  
Via Houston and Dallas  
GALVESTON AND ST. LOUIS  
Via Houston, Ennis and Paris  
HOUSTON AND AUSTIN

The H. & T. C. reaches Galveston, Houston, Brenham, Austin, Waco, Corsicana, Waxahatchie, Ft. Worth, Dallas, Plano, McKinney, Sherman, and Denison, and gives First-class Service.

C. W. BRIN, M. L. ROBBINS,  
Traffic Manager. G. P. & T. Agt.  
W. S. WILSON, Agt. Houston  
Bryan Texas.

## HOT and COLD, TUB and SHOWER BATHS, 25 Cents

Can be Obtained at All Hours

—At The—

Bryan Water, Ice, Light and  
POWER COMPANY.

"TIME IS MONEY."

"The Longest Way Round Is  
Sometimes The Quickest  
Way Home."

These wise old saws apply to the new fast train service now in effect via the Great Rock Island Route, while not the short line everywhere, we "get there," which is the main point to be considered.

A whole business day saved is one argument. A maximum of comfort by reason of through service, modern equipment; rock ballast; in short, an up-to-date railway, are several other arguments to assist you in deciding how and via what route to purchase tickets. The new schedule is as follows: Leave Fort Worth, 8:25 a. m.; arrive Lincoln, 7:10 a. m.; arrive Omaha, 9 a. m., connecting at latter point with train through Iowa; arriving Des Moines, 4:39 p. m.

CHAS. B. SLOAT,  
G. P. A., C. R. I. & T. Ry.,  
Fort Worth, Tex.



# A Beautiful Woman!

A PRETTY PIECE  
OF FANCY WORK!  
A SHADY NOOK!

What a heavenly combination for these weltering days! Call in the cool of the morning or evening and examine the LATEST FADS for sofa pillows at

## GILMORE'S

Sole agent for RICHARDSON'S EMBROIDERY SILKS.

adopt some such organized method as this and should see that all the roads leading into Bryan from the surrounding country are kept in good repair for the fall trade.

A Citizens Club should in fact be organized to consider and act upon all questions affecting the general welfare of the town as they arise from time to time. Such a club should include among its members all the business and professional men of the town and all other citizens interested in its growth and prosperity.

Hasty organizations would not then be necessary every time public matters demand attention and the work could be done with greater facility and satisfaction.

### Exchange Hotel Arrivals.

A. P. Wilson, Houston; A. W. Rose, Dallas; J. H. Hosack, Louisville; Jno. P. Reeve, Galveston; C. Van Eaton, Dallas; C. O. Middleton, Dallas; Abe Edel, Cincinnati; B. J. Wilkinson, San Antonio; John Robb, Hearne; J. L. Foster, T. L. Clements, College; Wm. Jeager, Prattville, Ala.; V. C. Dargan, I. Jalonick, B. S. Triplett, Dallas; D. P. McAlpine, Harry Lestajette, Bob Bush, Ben Gam-mill, Webb Hearn, Bob Smith, G. Wilder, Louis Casimer, Frank Gilson, —McCrary, Angus McAlpine, Calvert Baseball Team; J. D. Rudd, Spencer Meredith, Jr., Dr. W. A. McAlpine, Calvert.

Levy's for wall paper.

179

## THE DAILY EAGLE.

Entered at the Postoffice at Bryan, Texas, as Second Class mail matter.

BY CONNELLY, PALMER & CARNES.  
MALCOLM CARNES Editor.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE:  
Per Week, 10c. - Per Month, 40c  
SATURDAY, JUNE 24, 1899.

There have been some indications of oil in Leon county, and recently a prospector from Corsicana visited the Hardin's Store community and remained some time. He finally entered into a contract with Jones Reinhardt by which the company he represents is to soon begin sinking a well on Mr. Reinhardt's property, and will, they are confident, develop an oil field in that section. We certainly hope that their expectations may be realized.—Oakwood Sun.

Ice chests, water coolers and ice cream freezers at special low prices at Levy's.

### WORK FOR GOOD ROADS.

The Movement Started in Bryan—Activity of Other Towns.

Yesterday a committee composed of W. R. Johnston, W. L. Turner, A. W. Buchanan, J. B. Prid-dy, Dr. N. M. McDougald, Harry Dillashaw and J. W. White, accompanied by Commissioner W. L. Edge, went out and investigated the condition of the Bryan and Madisonville road at the hill this side of the Navasota river bottom, about fifteen miles from Bryan. The Eagle reporter was unable to go out with the committee and is indebted to the Pilot reporter and Mr. Johnston for details of the trip made by the above gentlemen. They found the improvement of the road at this point an absolute necessity and decided the best, cheapest and most practical way to do the work will be to raise funds by subscription in Bryan and cut down the road at the hill, the county not now being in a position to meet the demands of the case with the funds and facilities it has for road improvement. Accordingly Messrs. J. W. Johnson, G. S. Parker and A. W. Buchanan were appointed a committee to raise the funds for the work, it being estimated that about one hundred dollars will be required. W. R. Johnston and W. L. Turner were appointed a committee to receive bids for men and teams to do the work, which they will push as rapidly as possible when the funds are secured.

The committee did a good day's work yesterday, and the Eagle hopes all will respond promptly with donations so that the expense may be shared by all and felt by none.

While on the subject of road improvement it is interesting to note what other towns of this section are doing along this line.

Navasota has organized a Citizens Good Roads Club, and will increase the membership to the greatest number possible, and look after repairs on all the roads, and the bridges on same, leading into Navasota. The roads leading to Iola and North Gaiques county points will also receive attention. We learn that Huntsville also is giving attention to road improvement, which means that both towns are out after trade of which Bryan has always had the lion's share. Good roads are the foundation of permanent prosperity and Bryan can hold her trade against all rivals if she will lead in road improvements as she leads in other inducements.

Bryan business men should

### ARRESTED FOR MURDER!

A Woman Jailed for the Killing of Her Husband in Georgia.

Wadsworth, Ga., June 23.—Mrs. Jane Graves of Alexanderville, is in jail here on charge of murdering her husband. The tragedy occurred Tuesday. The coroner's jury investigated the case for two days. Enough circumstantial evidence was gotten to justify the arrest of the woman. It was feared for awhile that the hearing would end in a lynching bee, so strong was the feeling.

The most startling testimony was that of George Register, who worked for Mr. Graves and who stated that he saw Mrs. Graves shoot her husband, and hastily place the pistol in his hand as he lay upon the floor. It was also stated that Graves and his wife had quarrelled because she had been out riding with a young man. She intended going out again, but he forbade her, and the quarrel was renewed, resulting in his death.

Mrs. Graves is intelligent, neat and attractive and about 40 years old. She says that she does not know who did the killing. The Graves stand high in the community. The murdered man was a prosperous farmer.

### NEW FRENCH CABINET.

Waldick-Rousseau Succeeds in Securing Advisers for President Loubet.

Paris, June 23.—The following is the new French cabinet formed by Senator Waldeck-Rousseau: Senator Waldeck-Rousseau, president of the council of ministers and minister of the interior.

M. Delcasse, minister of foreign affairs.

General Marquis de Gallifa, minister of war.

M. de Lanessan, minister of marine.

M. Monis, minister of justice.

M. Caillaux, minister of finance.

M. Millerand, minister of commerce.

M. Leygues, minister of public instruction.

M. de Crais, minister of colonies.

M. Jean Dupuy, minister of agriculture.

M. Pierre Daudin, minister of public works.

### New Cabinet Takes Possession.

Paris, June 23.—The new cabinet of ministers have taken possession of their offices.

### Cuban Affairs.

Havana, June 23.—The biggest social event since the American occupation was given Thursday night. Mrs. Rathbone, wife of the director of posts, Major E. C. Rathbone, gave a ball at which over 500 persons were present, including all the best of Havana society—Americans, Spanish and Cubans.

At Sagua the mayor disarmed a private watchman of the Central railway yards warehouse. Mr. Pearson, the division superintendent, protested and threatens suit. He holds the city responsible for any losses resulting.

A terrific rainstorm called "temporal de agua" has destroyed much vegetables and tobacco in Guanajibes. A house was overturned killing a young Cuban woman.

At Santa Clara 173 payments to Cuban soldiers have been made. It is almost impossible to continue paying there, owing to discrepancies in the lists. For one man paid, 30 are refused.

### Senator Foraker's Opinion.

New York, June 23.—United States Senator J. B. Foraker of Ohio, who was a late arrival at the Waldorf-Astoria Thursday night said: "We seem to have a harder job on our hands in the Philippines than we anticipated. I don't believe the newspapers are getting all the news received at the war department, but I know nothing of it personally. If more men and money are needed congress will provide the means. The war is not popular, though."

### Yellow Fever at Santiago.

Santiago, June 23.—In consequence of the outbreak of yellow fever the garrison of United States troops here has been removed from the old Spanish barracks to a comfortable camp in the hills on the road to El Morro. Thus far four soldiers have died of the fever and there are 18 cases in the hospitals and one civilian suspect.

### The Robber Caught.

New York, June 23.—Detectives arrested the Boston bank robber as he alighted from a train at the grand central station. The stolen money, \$10,000, was found on his person. He gave his name as George Shea and said he was 21 years old. His real name is Philip Gamble. He lives in Chicago and is a well known crook.

### Binder Driver Killed.

Decatur, Tex., June 23.—News reached this place from Waggoner's ranch, that Lee Cox, a negro man, was run over and killed by a binder. Cox was driving a team of wild mules, which became frightened and ran away with the above results. His remains will be brought here for interment.

### A Queer Verdict.

Scranton, Miss., June 23.—"We, the jury, find the deceased came to his death by climbing a tree, venturing too far out on a limb and breaking his neck." Such was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the case of Daniel Patrick who was lynched here Wednesday morning for an assault on Miss Bessie Ireland.

### Leprosy on Board.

Mobile, June 23.—The British steamship Lombard arrived in this port from Ship Island with a case of well developed leprosy on board, in the person of a Chinaman, a member of the crew. This is the vessel which was ordered to Ship Island quarantine on June 14 with a case of yellow fever on board.

Wearers of the Best, Look to the  
Sellers of the Best!

## CLAPP SHOES

Are like handsome women; people stop to admire them. They are made of the best leather money can buy, the best workman money can hire under the best system brains can devise.

## Our Dollar Shirt

There is Rightness, Fitness and Fashion in our \$1 shirt, they have value from neck to tail.

## WEBB BROS.,

One Price and that a Low One.

IF YOU WANT

## Pipe Work and Plumbing

Am well fixed to do good work, and will do your work as well and at as low prices as it can be done by anyone.

WATER BACKS in stoves.  
FITTING UP RESERVOIRS.  
BATH TUBS.  
HOSE REPAIRING, ETC.

Leave orders at Hortman's shop (formerly Wooten's shop.) All work promptly attended to.

## M. F. HEENAN

## For The Ladies!

White Organdie Dress; Dainty White Parasol;  
Twenty-Five Yards Lace;  
Three Yards No. 60 Pearl White Satin Ribbon;  
Pair Ruth Gloves;  
Embroidered Handkerchief; Pearl White Fan;  
Belt Buckle;  
Collar Clasp; Drop Stich Hose;  
Bolton's or Hamilton-Brown's Ties at

## NORWOOD'S

## I Have Just Received

An elegant line of Nethersole Silver Bracelets, Friendship Hearts and Bracelets, which I am selling very close for First-class Goods. I have a large line of

LOCK BRACELETS IN SOLID GOLD,

GOLD FILLED and STERLING SILVER, SOLID GOLD HEARTS, ETC.

My line of GOLD BROOCHES are up-to-date. I call your attention to my line of Alarm Clocks of high grades continuous alarm. Also cheaper grade fresh and new. Walnut 8-day Clocks as cheap as can be sold. Call for my new silver Metal Spoons, 50 cents per set guaranteed to equal solid silver. We will engrave free of charge from date all goods bought of us, no matter as to price and quantity, we want your trade and will appreciate same. Cut Glass, Silver Novelties, Watches, Etc. at the lowest prices, which must be seen to appreciate the low prices.

J. M. Caldwell, Agt.

## EMMEL'S X-RAY OIL

For Internal and External Use. A Typical Anodyne Liniment

## CURES

Earache, Toothache, Headache, Neuralgia and Rheumatism, Colic Cramps, Cuts, Sprains, Bruises, and Burns.

## X-RAY OIL

Is not a narcotic but a nerve. Does not contain any opiates, chloroform or chloral. There are several liniments on the market put up by inexperienced or unscrupulous manufacturers that we can by qualitative analysis show to contain these dangerous drugs—which are by prolonged use prone to become a habit with the user.

## X-RAY OIL

can be used freely internally or externally with perfect safety and contains nothing calculated to be injurious to the system by continued use. Small size 20c, large size 40c.

Trial bottle free on request

Emmel's

Prescription

Pharmacy.

We save you 25 per cent on your Prescriptions.



Chipped Beef, Lunch Tongue, Boneless Chickens, Weiner Wurst Sausage and Potted meats galore. Lobsters, Shrimp and Deviled Crabs.

Chase & Sanborn's Roasted Coffee will please you. For Ice tea our Emperor Blend is unequalled.

### ALBATROSS

Continues in the lead for high grade flour. Give us a trial and you will be convinced its to your interest to become a regular customer of ours.

## CLARKE & DANSBY,

Uptodate Grocers. Phone 106.







# A COTTON FACTORY FOR BRYAN. FATE OF ARGUELLES.

FEASIBLE, PRACTICABLE, PROFITABLE,  
AND A GREAT BOON TO ALL.

GOVERNOR SAYERS QUOTED.

AND RELIABLE STATISTICS GIVEN ON  
THE SUBJECT.

There is a great deal of loose, irresponsible talk in the newspapers about cotton factories from time to time, mostly in the nature of "booming" a cotton mill for the newspaper's particular town. Such literature agitates a little (usually very little) and urges a great deal, but generally gives no information of any value to anybody, and no good reasons why anybody should consider the subject, and usually results in nothing. Few newspaper men know anything about cotton mills or kindred subjects, and their writings thereupon are hardly ever given serious consideration.

Noting the wonderful development of the cotton mill industry in some of the southern states and the prosperity attendant upon them, The Eagle some time since determined to get some data on the subject to lay before its readers, with the view, if possible, of arousing interest in the subject at Bryan. With this end in view we have procured a book from the writings of Mr. H. H. Hargrove, staff correspondent of the New Orleans Picayune, being letters on the subject that have appeared in that enterprising newspaper, by a man who was making the subject a special study, having every facility at his command, and traveling through the cotton manufacturing sections of North and South Carolina and Georgia.

Mr. Hargrove's writings are practical and intended to point out not only the desirability of an enterprise of the kind, but also the way to organize and carry it out. It is the purpose of this series of articles to summarize his findings and arguments, and in some cases to reprint his words verbatim. His letters are interesting and full to the brim of most conclusive facts that show:

1st. That the south should manufacture her cotton and get 12 cents a pound for it instead of selling it for 4 cents and letting the North and Europe get the other 8 cents.

2nd. That the southern people are impoverishing themselves by selling the raw material and buying it back manufactured, with great profits and wages to northern laborers added.

3rd. That the eastern states of the cotton belt are building factories and manufacturing a large per cent of their cotton, and are finding great wealth and profit from so doing.

4th. That Mississippi, Louisiana and Texas are even better situated than the other states named for the profitable manufacture of cotton.

5th. That it is a very easy matter to organize a company composed of home people entirely to build a cotton factory, the stock being subscribed and paid in small installments as used.

6th. That all such enterprises, where governed by ordinary business intelligence, will pay a profit on the stock, benefit the cotton producers, add population and wealth to the town and section, make a market for diversified productions of the farmers, and in short, at its very inception, give to its promoters, and a whole community of groping, misguided 4-cent cotton producers and traffickers a glimpse of the promised land.

The usual history of a new cotton mill industry in a small town is described to be about thus: A great effort is made extending over a year or two time, perhaps, to raise the funds for a mill. The mill is built, perhaps on a co-operative plan—or perhaps on the building and loan plan, but in nearly every case the money for the first mill is raised among the home people, for foreign capital can rarely be procured for the first one. After it runs a year or so, and the town and section feels the impetus of new life and business resulting, a subscription is started for a second one. This succeeds easily, and the money is raised with but little effort. Then perhaps foreign money begins to seek investment either in stock of the old mills or in new ones, and the town's future is assured. The first

mill built usually doubles its capacity in 5 or 6 years, the new additions coming from the profits from operation.

So much for Mr. Hargrove's letters. We will now give our readers a few words from our own governor, Joe Sayers, on the same subject, and take up the discussion of Mr. Hargrove's investigations in another chapter. Gov. Sayers, at a recent industrial banquet, said:

"In conversation with the governor of Georgia a few years ago, illustrating the progress which his own state had made in manufactures, he spoke to me of his own little town of not exceeding 2500 inhabitants. There was not a single man within its limits, not a citizen, whose estate reached the sum of \$25,000. They were getting poorer, while other cities in the state were becoming richer and more densely populated. The people of this city got together and determined to build a factory. They didn't want to build an expensive one. They didn't propose to put up buildings three or four stories high, but a plain, simple one-story building. Stock was issued only to those who lived within that community and to none other. No man was permitted to take more than \$1000 worth of the stock. They began in this small way, and in less than five years they were exporting from their village more than \$1,000,000 worth of cotton fabrics every year, and now there isn't a single boy or girl idle within that community. Young men are not studying law or medicine, but they are earning a living."

[This is the first of a series of articles to appear in The Eagle on this subject, the second one to be published to-morrow.]

## Recital in Elocution and Music.

A most creditable and highly appreciated recital in music and elocution was given at the Opera House on Monday evening by Miss Lillian Parks, of Bryan, and Miss Hassie Henderson, of this city, assisted by some of Calvert's best local talent.

We would not attempt to crowd into limited space a detailed account of the many attractive features of the evening, for were this our pleasant task simple justice would require us to dwell at length on each number of the program. Miss Parks is a pianist of marked ability. Her excellent execution won the plaudits of even the most critical musicians in the audience. Le Printemps, by T. Carreno, was enthusiastically encored.

Miss Henderson's four recitations were admirably selected to display the three branches of elocution, tragedy, humor and pathos. The young lady clearly demonstrated the fact that she is no specialist but is thoroughly cultured in every feature of the matchless art. She possesses an ease and grace of manner which tersely stated, is simply superb.

The humorous recitation "The Jiners," was greeted by prolonged applause.

The encore, "My little Yaller Dog," was laughable in the extreme. The selection "Home Sweet Home" with its accompanying patriotic airs played by Miss Parks, struck a responsive cord in the hearts of every one present and appropriately concluded an entertainment in all things most admirable.—Calvert Courier.

## Programme Masonic Celebration.

Following is the programme of the Masonic celebration and installation of officers of Brazos Union Lodge No. 129, at the opera house in Bryan June 24, 1899:

- I. Chorus—"Let the Hills and Vales Resound".....Quartette Club
- II. Invocation.....Dr. T. C. Bittle, of A. and M. College.
- III. Duet—"Venetian Boat Song".....Misses E. Herman and Marie Adams
- IV. Solo—"For This".....Miss E. L. Matthews
- V. Installation of Officers.....Past Master H. B. Stoddard officiating
- VI. Address.....Hon. S. B. Cooper of Beaumont, Representative in Congress, 2nd District.
- VII. Song.....Quartette Club

## TREASON CHARGED.

The Filipino Commissioner Given Twelve Years' Imprisonment.

He Was Tried by the Filipino Congress and Was Sentenced to Death, and This Was Commuted for Previous Services.

Manila, June 23.—Details of the sentencing of Colonel Arguelles, a Filipino commissioner to 12 years' imprisonment have just been obtained here. It was at first reported that his condemnation by the Filipinos was due to the friendship he displayed toward the Americans, but the information just received shows the accusation against him was not based on his peace conference at Manila as supposed. They confirm President Schurman's belief in his insincerity and show that his advocacy of autonomy among the insurgents was treated as treason.

The charges against the colonel was that in conversation with Filipino officers he predicted that disorders within the insurgent territory would lead to civil war, and therefore, he considered autonomy under the Americans preferable to independence. The Filipino congress tried him on the charge of treason and a heated debate over autonomy followed. Finally the colonel was sentenced to death, but this was commuted to 12 years imprisonment on account of his previous services to the cause after an eloquent plea upon the part of his counsel. Colonel Arguelles is one of the most conservative men identified with the insurrection.

The rebels have learned that the American volunteers are returning to the United States and the Filipino newspapers show that they construe this to mean that the Americans are abandoning the war and are encouraged thereby.

The outposts of the Washington regiment Thursday captured General Pio del Pilar's brass band of 82 pieces, the members of which became separated from the rebel army and came near the American lines without having the means of resistance. Some Chinamen of Manila have filed claims against the instruments, which, it appears, were seized by the insurgents of General Pio del Pilar.

Four of the wounded of the Fourth infantry in the recent fight with the rebels have died in the hospitals.

## Will Call for Volunteers.

Washington, June 23.—The president it is said, has decided to call for volunteers for the Philippines, but the call will not be made under a proclamation. General Otis has asked that his army be increased by at least 15,000 men beyond the 30,000 limit set by himself on suggestions from the secretary of war.

## New York Ready to Respond.

Kaansas, City, June 23.—Governor Roosevelt has telegraphed President McKinley informing the president that in the event of a call for volunteers is made New York is prepared to furnish all the men the government might ask for and asked that an opportunity be given New York state to do so.

## Colonel Sumpter Dead.

Hot Springs, Ark., June 23.—Colonel J. J. Sumpter, one of the most prominent citizens of the state and for 40 years a resident of this city, died here of nervous prostration after a lingering illness. Within the last three years Colonel Sumpter had a large fortune swept away and his reverses preyed upon his mind until, two weeks ago, he became violently insane. He was born in Warren county, Mo., and served through the war in the Confederate army.

## All Convicts Liberated.

Tablequah, I. T., June 23.—The Cherokee executive council has liberated all the criminals in the Cherokee penitentiary. There were 16 serving terms of from 1 to 15 years. This action was taken on account of the Curtis bill prohibiting any more convictions under the Cherokee laws. The office of national jailer was also abolished.

## Will Appeal to the President.

Philadelphia, June 23.—The 3000 seamstresses whose means of earning a livelihood have been making the soldier's clothing at the United States arsenal here, have decided to make a direct appeal to President McKinley against giving the work to contractors. The seamstresses are mostly the wives, widows and daughters of soldiers.

## State Convention Dates.

Lincoln, Neb., June 23.—Meetings of the state central committees of the Populist, Democratic and free silver Republican parties were held here and the dates of the several state conventions was set for Aug. 23 at Omaha. The same dates for all conventions means that there will be fusion. The committeemen were addressed by W. J. Bryan and W. H. Harvey.

## Haiser Slighted Hails.

Washington, June 23.—The declaration of the kaiser to see F. W. Holls, secretary of the American delegation to The Hague, on his recent visit to Berlin is regarded as a discourtesy to an American representative.

## The Ethelwood Safe.

Philadelphia, June 23.—News has reached here of the arrival at Nassau, N. P., of the steamer Ethelwood, heretofore reported disabled and possibly lost. All on board were well.

## KENTUCKY DEMOCRATS.

The State Convention Is Delayed by Wire Pulling and the Committees.

Louisville, June 23.—The third day of the Democratic state convention found still working under a temporary organization, and it was made plain early in the day that this condition would last for some time longer. The committee on credentials labored with 357 contested seats on which it had to pass until long after midnight, and then left the task unfinished. Most of the country districts were disposed of, but the 70 seats of Jefferson county, in which the Louisville districts are located, were not taken up. Last night's committee work developed some sharp differences and there will certainly be majority and minority reports from several of the most important committees. A majority of the committee on resolutions have drawn up a platform endorsing William J. Bryan for the presidential nomination in 1900, and J. C. S. Blackburn for United States senator, making free silver again the prominent issue and reaffirming the Chicago platform in entirety and containing a strong anti-trust plank.

A difference of opinion in the committee arose over the endorsement of the Goebel election law, the majority favoring it.

In regard to the policy to be pursued in dealing with the new possessions the majority are conservative.

The war with Spain to secure the liberty of Cuba was sustained, but the administration was condemned for pushing the campaign in the Philippines.

The state administration was condemned for alleged corrupt methods and inefficiency.

Other measures were recommended for legislation against railroads, especially where there were discriminations in rates, and against any combination to secure a monopoly of school books.

The fight between the three candidates for the nomination for governor is being warmly waged, with the advantage with the Goebel-Stone combination, which controls the organization, and the probability is one of these gentlemen will be nominated.

The convention met at 9:30 o'clock this morning, and after the adoption of eulogistic resolutions to the memory of the late Richard P. Bland, took a recess until 4 o'clock to await the report of the committee on credentials.

## Kentucky Democratic Convention.

Louisville, June 23.—The second day of the Democratic convention was a blank so far as proceedings of records go. Under the surface, however, it was the busiest day of electioneering and wire pulling incident of the gathering. At the former session committees were appointed and a recess taken until Thursday evening to allow them to work. The credentials committee having scarcely begun its work, the convention at that time adjourned until 9 o'clock this morning.

## To Stop Yellow Fever.

New York, June 23.—Dr. A. H. Doty health officer of the port, is of the opinion that there is more yellow fever among the troops in Cuba than is reported by the war department. Within six months he says 6000 soldiers have returned from Cuba and more than 6000 more will arrive here within the next two months. He proposes to take special precautions. Vessels from Cuban ports are to be held at quarantine until they have been thoroughly washed and cleaned and the baggage fumigated. Passengers not having certificates of acclimatization in Cuba are held for five days from the time of their leaving Cuba, that being the period of incubation of yellow fever. Should yellow fever become epidemic in Cuba even stricter regulations for its exclusion will be adopted here.

## Murdered His Mother.

Hamilton, Ont., June 23.—Benjamin Parrott was hanged here for the murder of his mother. The murderer showed no fear while on the gallows. He left a confession.

## Hanging in Georgia.

Eastman, June 23.—Cain Stephens, one of the murderers of Marshal Osborne of Chaucey, Ga., was executed on the gallows here. Will Wilson his companion in crime, was respited 29 days.

## NEWS IN BRIEF.

Dell Hass, a 14-year-old girl, was fearfully mangled by a binder near Crescent City, O. T.

The story that General Joseph Wheeler and Mrs. George W. Childs will marry soon has been revived.

An extra session of the Kentucky legislature may be called to take steps to crush the Baker-Howard feud.

The Dewey home fund is now \$10,130. The mattress factory of H. C. Rheokoff at Texarkana, Tex., was partially destroyed by fire. Loss \$500.

Catherine Adams and Jim Davis are in jail at Houston, Tex., having been denied bail, for the murder of Will Anderson.

Joseph Grossmayer, a merchant at Galveston, Tex., has sued the Bradstreet company for \$50,000 for rating him too low.

Oscar Hancock and Willie Meadow were drown near Dallas, Tex. They were in bathing and got into deep water.

The honorary degree of LL. D. has been conferred upon Schley, Melville and Joe Wheeler.

Sir Swante Palm, the Swedish and Norwegian vice consul, died of heart disease at Austin, Tex.

A negro is in jail at Belton, Tex., for attempting to assault a farmer's wife near Oenaville.

## For Hot Weather

Our own SARSAPARILLA is unsurpassed for a spring tonic. If you need a good liver pill try JAMES' ANTIBILIOUS PILLS.

## JAMES' CHOLERA MIXTURE

Best on earth. HEAT POWDER, MOSQUITO LOTION, FLY PAPER, BED BUG EXTERMINATOR, BATH BRUSHES, SPONGES, TOILET SOAPS, PERFUMERY, ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE.

New Line Hammocks Very Cheap.

James & McDougald.

## Cheap John Shoe Shop

Shop and Custom Made Shoes. I also handle northern shoes. I do all kinds of repairing work cheaper than any shoemaker in the county. Come and see me and I will give you satisfaction. I use nothing but the best White Oak sole leather. RUBBER HEELS SUPPLIED AND PUT ON.

N. JAMETTA, ryan, Texas.



## "LISTEN TO MY TALE OF WOE."

The green fruit and vegetable season with Cholera Morbus, Summer complaints, Etc., is at hand, and everybody realizes its danger especially among children. There is no need for alarm if you have a bottle of

HALL'S CHOLERA MIXTURE and HALL'S BABY CORDIAL.

At hand. These are a dead shot for the ailments above mentioned and no family should be without both. For Pure Drugs, Accurate Prescription Work, Standard Patent Medicines, Fine Perfumery and Toilet Articles the place is

HALL'S DRUG STORE, BRYAN, TEXAS.



## SATISFACTORY LAUNDRY...

When you want satisfactory Laundry send us a postal or phone us and we'll get the bundle and return it when we promise it to you. If it is not satisfactory don't pay for it.

American Laundry, Two doors south of Exchange hotel.

Telephone 141.

Or postal brings our team.

JOHN WITTMANN

Merchant Tailor.

Large Stock of Fine Woolens and Other Fabrics always on Hand.

STYLE and FIT GUARANTEED.

Up stairs over Burt Norwood's, Main Street BRYAN, TEXAS

## THE DENVER ROAD

The Tourists' Favorite Route to Colorado, the "Human Repair Shop of America."

## The Successful Business Man

Spends the hot months in the Mountains.

## The Club Woman

Who wishes to be recognized as authority on today's literature will summer at the Texas-Colo- rado Chautauqua. She will have as her associates the literary cream of the United States.

## The Teacher

Admired most by the School Board, will keep up-to-date in school methods and vigorous in body by spending each vacation at the Chautauqua's Summer School.

The Chautauqua opens at Boulder July 4th, and continues 6 weeks. For free Chautauqua literature address

D. B. KEELER, Traffic Manager  
—OR—  
A. A. GLISSON, Gen'l Agt. Pass. Dept., Ft. Worth & Denver City Ry, FT. WORTH, TEXAS.

## Best Passenger Service IN TEXAS.

4 IMPORTANT GATEWAYS 4



"No trouble to answer questions."

## 2 FAST TRAINS DAILY 2

...TO... St. Louis, Chicago ....and the East.

Only Line Running Through

Coaches and Sleepers to NEW ORLEANS without change.

Superb Pullman Vestibuled Buffet Sleepers, Handsome New Chair Cars (seats free).

DIRECT LINE TO

NEW MEXICO, ARIZONA AND CALIFORNIA.

Operators of Magnificent New Train, "Pacific Coast Limited," Semi-weekly, between CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS, DALLAS, FORT WORTH, LOS ANGELES AND SAN FRANCISCO.

H. P. HUGHES, Trav. Passenger Agent, FT. WORTH, TEX.

L. S. THORNE, E. P. TURNER, Vice-Pass. and Gen'l Manager, Gen'l Pass. and Ticket Agt. DALLAS, TEX.

DR. PAUL M. RAYSON, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON Bryan, Texas.

Office over James Drug Store. Residence phone 131.